

USER'S MANUAL

Mini printers
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1. INTRODUCTION

Portable or desktop: The DPP-xx series may be used as a desktop/wall-hung unit or as a hand-held/belt-hung, battery-operated unit to meet a wide variety of needs. It is ideal for EFT (electronic fund transfer) and POS (point of sales) transactions, in-the-field receipting and other applications that require a small foot print and/or portability. It also offers in-vehicle receipting for taxi and other public transportation providers.

Impact and thermal: The DPP-xx series also offers a choice of printing technologies – impact dot matrix and direct line thermal option are available.

Wide interface range: The DPP-xx series also offer for RS-232C serial interface, Serial TTL interface, and Infrared communication interface (IrDA)

Warning : Please read this manual to understand the printer before use !

1.1. Features

- Portable and/or Desktop applications
- Impact or thermal print option
- RS-232C, TTL serial or IrDA interface
- 57 mm wide paper
- Paper end detector
- Text and graphics mode
- OEM version available
- Customised case colours

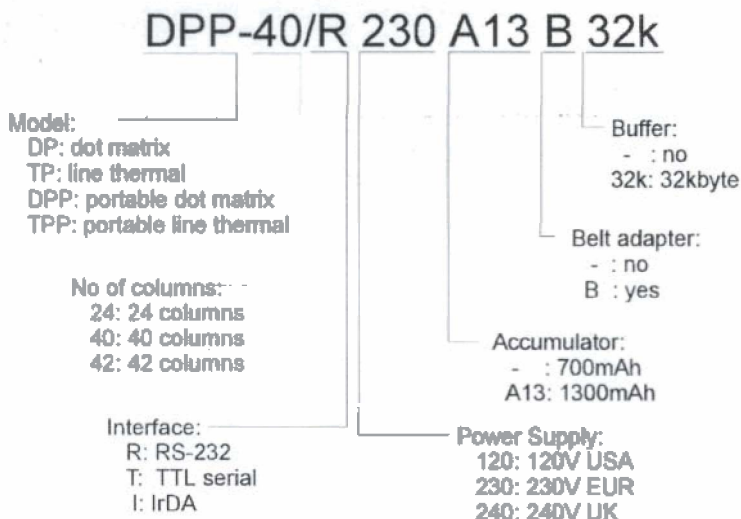
1.2. Accessories

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|--|----------|
| - Paper roll | (1 roll) |
| - Ribbon cassette (only on dot matrix) | (1 pc.) |
| - AC adapter | (1 pc.) |
| - User's Manual | (1 pc.) |
| - Accumulator (only on portable type) | (1 pc.) |



2. TYPE CLASSIFICATION

2.1. Type



2.2. AC adapter

Model No: MW1208

Warning: Please use the exclusive adapter indicated below !

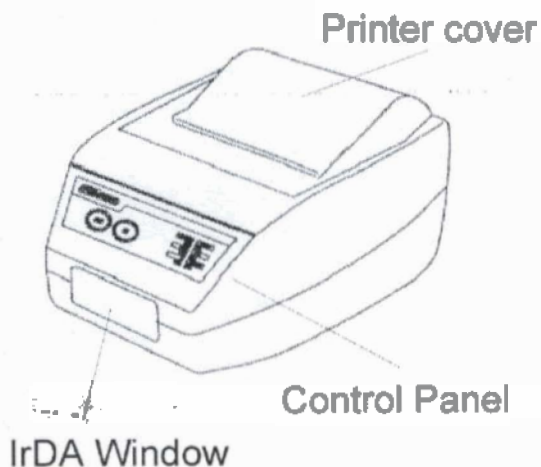


2.3. Specification

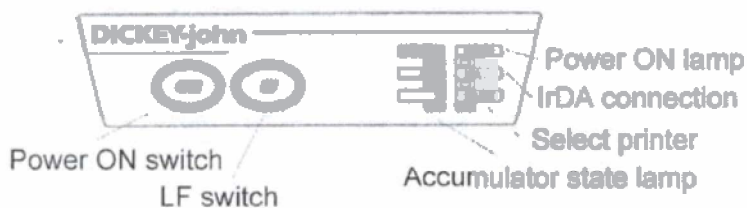
Model:	DP-24/DP-40	DPP-24/DPP40	TP-24/TP-42	TPP-24/TPP42
Printing method	impact dot matrix			
Printer mechanism	MD-900 series (Citizen)			
No of columns for text mode	24/40 char/line			
Printing speed	144/180 dots/line			
	2.6/1.8 line/sec			
Paper width	57mm + - 0.5mm			
Paper roll diameter	50mm			
Paper end detector	optional			
Ink ribbon cassette	IR-91 (black or purple)			
Interface	RS-232			
	optional TTL serial			
	optional IrDA standard 1.0 ver.			
	1 line			
Buffer	optional 32kbyte			
Power supply	AC 110/120/230V			
	DC 12V 800mA	DC 12V 500mA	DC 12V 800mA	DC 12V 500mA
Rechargeable battery	NiCd 700mAh			
Weight	0.4 kg			
	105x150x75			
Dimension (W x D x H)	0 - 50 C			
Operating temperature range	-20 - 50C			
Storage temperature range	Head 50 million pulse or 50km			
Reliability	MCBF 1 million lines			
Case colours	Antracid grey / Indigo blue / beige			

3. EXTERNAL APPEARANCE AND PARTS' DESCRIPTIONS

3.1. External appearance



3.2. Control Panel

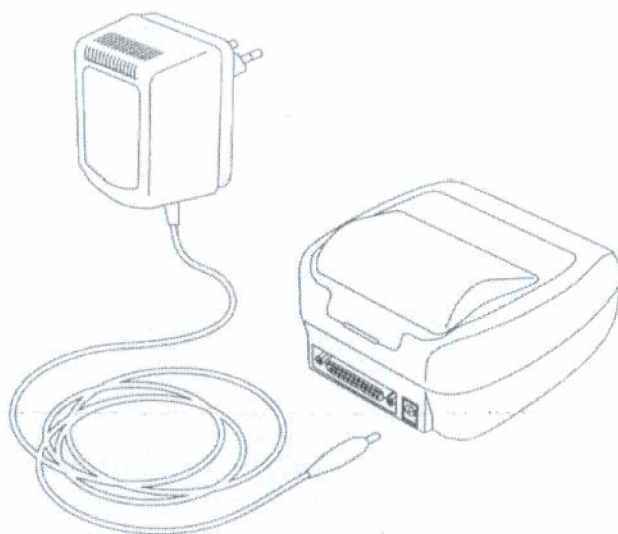


4. OPERATIONS

4.1. Connecting the AC adapter

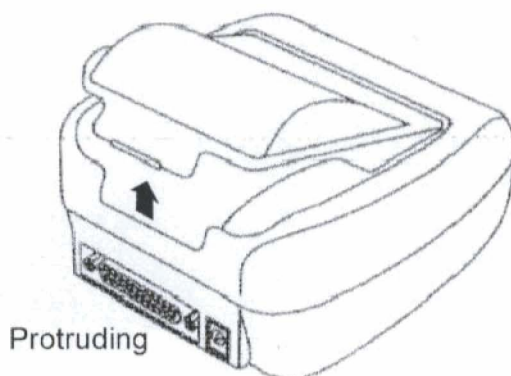
- (1) Ensure that the power switch is OFF.
- (2) Insert the output plug of the AC adapter into the DC jack of the printer.
- (3) Insert the power plug of the AC adapter into a power consent supplying the designated voltage.

Warning : Use of exclusive AC adapter is recommended. Output is DC 12V/800mA. Avoid using power sources not conforming to this specification.



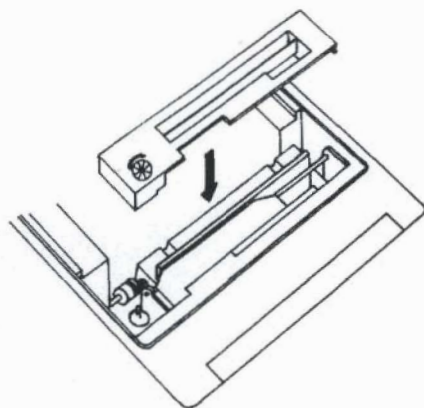
4.2. Setting of the printer cover

- (1) Hold the protruding section at the rear of the printer cover and lift in the direction indicated.
- (2) Attach the cover by pressing downward after hooking the cover to the acceptor located in the front part.



4.3. Setting ribbon cassettes

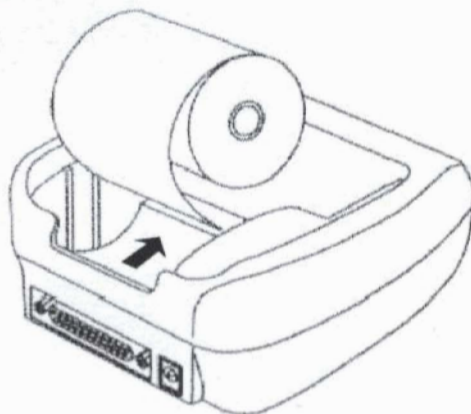
- (1) Remove the printer cover after turning OFF the printer.
- (2) Press down on the ribbon cassette while inserting the ribbon between the printing head and platen.
- (3) Wind up the ribbon slack by turning the knob in the direction of the arrow.



4.4. Setting paper

- (1) Remove the printer cover.
- (2) Ensure that the end of the paper is straight or incline.
- (3) Insert the end of the paper into the slot of the printer mechanism.
- (4) After turning on the printer, press LF switch until 5 to 6 cm of paper is fed out of the printer mechanism.
- (5) Insert paper after moving aside the paper holder in the direction of the arrow. Then, secure the center of the roll with the holder.
- (6) Then, attach the printer cover so the end of the paper comes out of the opening in the cover.

Warning : The device should only be used with paper in it - otherwise the lifetime of the ribbon cartridge gets shorter.



4.5. Power managenemt

In most of application which contains printer the printer works only short time of operation, but it is power ON under full operation.

If DIP-4 switch OFF may be turn On the printer DSR signal. If DIP-3 switch OFF may be turn On the printer via IrDA connection.



4.6. Self test printing

A self-printing function is incorporated in this product to enable the printer to check itself.

- (1) Set paper to the printer.
- (2) Ensure that the ribbon cassette is attached correctly and turn the power OFF.
- (3) Turn ON the power switch while holding the LF switch down. Release the LF switch after the self-printing operation has started.

Printing is initiated by this operation. To end self-printing, turn OFF the printer.

4.7. HEX Dump printing

If you printing the self test function and switch on the <LF> button the printer state will be the HEX dump state. This state printing every character hex code.

4.8. General notices

- Never operate your printer without loading paper and ribbon cassette. Any printing without paper and ribbon cassette may cause damage to printer head.
- Replace ribbon cassette before it is worn with rents.
- Be careful not to drop any foreign matters, such as paper clips, pin and the like into your printer. Those can cause mechanical trouble.
- Nothing shall be placed on the radiation vents to the printer.
- No organic solvent /thinner, benzine or the like/ shall be used in sweeping clean the surface of the main body case.

5. INTERFACE

5.1. Serial interface

9 PIN D SUB Female connector		
Signal PIN	Signal Name	Function
2	RxD	Received Data
4	DTR	Printer Busy
5	GND	Signal Ground
6	DSR	Switch ON

25 PIN D SUB Female connector		
Signal PIN	Signal Name	Function
3	RxD	Received Data
7	GND	Signal Ground
20	DTR	Printer Busy

Note : D-SUB connector

25 PIN Printer : 17LE-13250 (Amphenol equivalent)

25 PIN Cable : 17JE-23250 (Amphenol equivalent)

9 PIN Printer : 17LE-13090 (Amphenol equivalent)

9 PIN Cable : 17JE-23090 (Amphenol equivalent)

5.2. IrDA interface

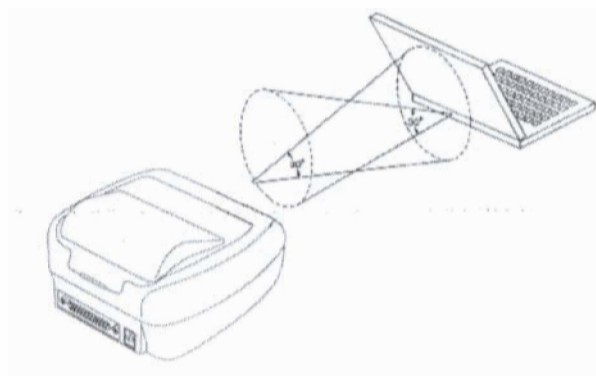
Carrier: Infrared radiation
(peak wavelength: 850 to 1050 nm)

Communication distance:
Between 0 cm and 100 cm

Infrared transmission speed:
9.6, 19.2, 38.4, 57.6, 115.2 kbps

5.2.1. Positioning for data transfer

In general, you connect the printer Print to your computer to enable wireless printing. The infrared lens must be in a direct line of sight with the infrared lens on opposite side. Devices transmit data in a 30-degree cone of infrared light, as shown in the following diagram.



Ascertain whether both infrared devices are within this 30-degree cone. Data transmission will fail if one of the devices is turned too far to the right or to the left or is much higher or lower than the other device.



6. DIP SWITCH SETTING

DP-xx series			
DIP	Function	OFF	ON
1	Printer RESET		Reset
2	Baud rate selection	Userdef	9600n81
3	Auto ON	Off	On
4	Switch On via DSR	Enable	Disable

DPP-xx series			
1	Printer RESET		Reset
2	Baud rate selection	Userdef	9600n81
3	Switch On via IrDA	Enable	Disable
4	Switch On via DSR	Enable	Disable



7. CHARACTER SET

7.1 Character set

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	A	B	C	D	E	F
0	NUL	SP	!	@	A	P	a	p	-	_	160	176	192	208	224	240
1		"	#	\$	%	Q	b	q	-	~	161	177	193	209	225	241
2	DC2					R	c	r	-	~	162	178	194	210	226	242
3	DC3					S	d	s	-	~	163	179	195	211	227	243
4	DC4					T	e	t	-	~	164	180	196	212	228	244
5						U	f	u	-	~	165	181	197	213	229	245
6						V	g	v	-	~	166	182	198	214	230	246
7						W	h	w	-	~	167	183	199	215	231	247
8	CAN	()			X	i	x	-	~	168	184	200	216	232	248
9						Y	j	y	-	~	169	185	201	217	233	249
A	LF	*	:			Z	k	z	-	~	170	186	202	218	234	250
B	ESC	+	=			[l	{	-	~	171	187	203	219	235	251
C			<			\	m		-	~	172	188	204	220	236	252
D	CR	-	=]	n	}	-	~	173	189	205	221	237	253
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F		/	?			_	p	+	-	~	175	191	207	223	239	255



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**FOR GAC 2100 instruments,
please setup your instrument as below :**

POWER ON

MAIN MENU

(4) SETUP, Enter

(7) COM Enter

(2) COM1 Format

Output format : PRN20
Line Terminator : CR,LF

(3) COM1 DATA SETUP

Baud Rate : 1200
Data Bit : 8
Parity : None
Stop Bit : 1

(4) COM1 Control :

Busy(11) : ACTIVE (+)
DTR(20) : ACTIVE